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### Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No. 09/936,157 First Named Applicant: Shibata et al.  
Examiner: Aravind Murthy Art Unit: 2131 Status of Application: non-final OA

#### Tentative Participants:

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(3) Osamu Shibata (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: 5/19/04 Proposed Time: 2:00 (AM/PM) PM

#### Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

### Issues To Be Discussed

| Issues:<br>(Rej., Obj., etc)                 | Claims/<br>Fig. #s | Prior<br>Art           | Discussed                | Agreed                   | Not Agreed               |
|--|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) <u>Rej. clms. 1, 11, 12, 17 &amp; 19</u> |                    | <u>Witt et al.</u>     | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) _____                                    | _____              | <u>USPN: 5,745,571</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) _____                                    | _____              | _____                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (4) _____                                    | _____              | _____                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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#### Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Witt et al. fails to disclose transmitting scrambled access info, which shows the area, to a storage medium and authenticating the storage medium using the scrambled access info.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_.

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This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Ali Odedra  
(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

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